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Petition for a Four Month Extension of Time

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The initial period for response to the outstanding Office Action in the above application, dated May 18, 2004, expired on June 18, 2004.

In conjunction with Amendment A in the application and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17, Applicant hereby requests a four month extension of time, up to and including October 18, 2004, in which to respond to the Office Action.

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